



Country Fact Sheet Palau

LAND AND POPULATION	Year	Value	Unit
Area			
Country total area	2014	46	1 000 ha
Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops)	2014	3	1 000 ha
Population			
Total population	2015	21.29	1 000
Population density	2015	46.28	inhab/km ²
Rural population	2015	2.75	1 000
Economically active population in agriculture	2014	3	1 000
As % of total economically active population	2014	27.27	%
RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR)	Year	Value	Unit
Long-term average annual precipitation			
Depth		-	mm/year
Volume		-	km ³ /year
Long-term average annual RWR			
Internal (IRWR)		-	km ³ /year
External (ERWR)		0	km ³ /year
Total Actual (TRWR)		-	km ³ /year
Dependency ratio		0	%
TRWR per capita		-	m ³ /year
Total dam capacity		-	km ³
WATER WITHDRAWAL	Year	Value	Unit
By sector			
Agricultural		-	km ³
Municipal		-	km ³
Industrial		-	km ³
Total		-	km ³
Total water withdrawal per capita		-	m ³
By source			
Surface water withdrawal		-	km ³
Groundwater withdrawal		-	km ³
Total freshwater withdrawal		-	km ³
Desalinated water produced		-	km ³
Direct use of treated municipal wastewater		-	km ³
Direct use of agricultural drainage water		-	km ³
Pressure on water resources			
Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR		-	%
Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR		-	%
IRRIGATION AREAS	Year	Value	Unit
Area equipped for irrigation			
Full control irrigation		-	1 000 ha
surface irrigation	1 000 ha		
sprinkler irrigation	1 000 ha		
localized irrigation	1 000 ha		
Equipped lowland areas		-	1 000 ha
Spate irrigation		-	1 000 ha
Total area equipped for irrigation		-	1 000 ha
As % of cultivated area		-	%
Area actually irrigated		-	1 000 ha
As % of area equipped for irrigation		-	%

Notes: 1 km³ = 10⁹ m³ = 1 000 million m³; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m²